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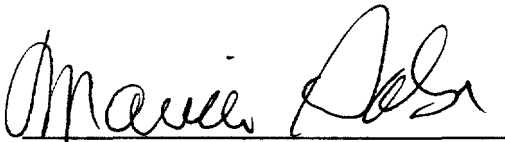
Ms. Magalie Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Portals II, TW-A325
445 - Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

Dear Ms. Salas:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of a Petition for Rule Making for Atoka, Oklahoma.

If the Commission has any questions with respect to the filing of this proposal, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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To: Chief, Allocations Branch
Mass Media Bureau

Maurice Salsa (Petitioner), pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 1.401, hereby requests the commission to amend section 73.202 (b) of its rules, the FM Table of Allotments, to allot channel 290A (105.9 Mhz) at Atoka, Oklahoma.

Atoka, Oklahoma is an incorporated community of over 3,500 people. Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 290A to Atoka, Oklahoma, as that community's first competing commercial FM service. Atoka has its own mayor, Bill Miller, its own fire department, its own post office, its own school district and a number of local churches. The proposed channel 290A will provide additional diversity and an outlet for local self-expression to Atoka residents and therefore is in the public interest.

Attached hereto is a channel study confirming that Channel 290A can be allocated to Atoka, Oklahoma consistent with the FCC's FM separation rules. See revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1992).

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Reference coordinates are:

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34 18 31 N
96 07 20 W

Petitioner hereby states that if the commission grants this petition, he will apply for the channel when it is allotted, and, if his application is granted, he will promptly build the station.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, Petitioner respectfully requests the commission to grant this petition and to allot channel 290A to Atoka, Oklahoma.

The information provided in this Petition for Rule Making is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

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MAPFM search of channel 290A6 (105.9 MHz), at N. 34 18 31, W. 96 7 20.

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Searching Channel 290A6 (105.9 MHz):

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CALL	CITY	ST	CHN	CL	S	DIST	SEPN	BRNG	CLEARANCE
KLIS	COALGATE	OK	288	C3	U	47.8	42.0	330.7ø	5.8
KLIS	COALGATE	OK	288	C3	L	47.8	42.0	330.7ø	5.8
KRNB	DECATUR	TX	289	C	L	168.2	165.0	232.6ø	3.2
KRNB	DECATUR	TX	289	C	L	168.2	165.0	232.6ø	3.2
KRNB	DECATUR	TX	289	C	C	165.1	165.0	208.9ø	0.1
KIRC	SEMINOLE	OK	290	A	U	115.4	115.0	330.6ø	0.4
KIRC	SEMINOLE	OK	290	A	L	125.1	115.0	332.4ø	10.1
KIXO	SULPHUR	OK	291	A	U	85.9	72.0	293.9ø	13.9
KIXO	SULPHUR	OK	291	A	L	88.3	72.0	295.5ø	16.3
KKBI	BROKEN BOW	OK	291	C2	U	123.5	106.0	93.2ø	17.5
KKBI	BROKEN BOW	OK	291	C2	L	123.5	106.0	93.2ø	17.5
KLBC	DURANT	OK	292	C3	U	30.8	42.0	199.2ø	-11.2
KLBC	DURANT	OK	292	C3	L	43.8	42.0	219.1ø	1.8
KTLS-F	HOLDENVILLE	OK	293	C3	L	76.5	42.0	331.3ø	34.5

Atoka, Oklahoma Ch. 290A 3.16mv

